



**2011 Minnesota Drug Court Conference**  
*Beyond the Basics—Taking Drug Courts to the Next Level*

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### Agenda

#### Tuesday, June 21

8:00–8:30 am	<b>Registration and Continental Breakfast</b>	
8:30 am	<b>Conference Opening Remarks</b>	<b>Minnesota East</b>
8:30–9:00 am	<b>Drug Court Conference Keynote Address</b> Former Congressman James Ramstad	<b>Minnesota East</b>
9:00–10:30 am	<b>Plenary Part I:</b> <a href="#"><u>Back to the Future—Best Practices in Drug Courts</u></a> Shannon Carey, Ph.D., Vice President of Development/Senior Research Associate, <i>NPC Research</i>	<b>Minnesota East</b>
10:30–10:45 am	<b>Break</b>	
10:45–11:30 am	<b>Plenary Part II:</b> <a href="#"><u>Minnesota Statewide Drug Court Evaluation: Overview, Progress, and Preliminary Analysis</u></a> Katie Schurrer, Research Analyst, <i>SCAO Court Services Division</i>	<b>Minnesota East</b>
11:30 am–12:00 pm	<b>Plenary Part III:</b> <b>Questions/Discussion</b>	<b>Minnesota East</b>
12:00–1:00 pm	<b>Lunch</b>	<b>Great River Ballroom (First Floor)</b>

## Tuesday, June 21, cont.

1:00–2:45 pm

### Breakout Session

1. [Helping Men Recover: A Gender-Responsive and Trauma-Informed Treatment Program for Men](#) **Governors Rooms III & IV**  
Dan Griffin, *Griffin Recovery Enterprises*
2. [Dual Diagnosis: The Defendant with Chronic Addiction and Mental Health Problems](#) **Minnesota West**  
Deena McMahon, MSW, LICSW, *McMahon Counseling & Consultation Services*
3. **Native American Population in Drug Court/Judicial Joint Powers** **Governors Rooms I & V**  
Hon. Korey Wahwassuck, *Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe*
4. [Ethical Issues in Drug Court](#) **Capitol Ballroom**  
Brian Lukasavitz, Drug Court Coordinator, *Sixth Judicial District*  
Hon. Kevin Burke, District Court Judge, *Fourth Judicial District*

2:45–3:00 pm

### Break

3:00–4:45 pm

### Plenary:

- [Here's Looking at You—Targeting By Risks & Needs](#) **Minnesota East**  
Shannon Carey, Ph.D., Vice President of Development/Senior Research Associate, *NPC Research*

7:00 pm

**Drug Court Networking Reception** **Great River Ballroom (First Floor)**  
**Featuring West Huddleston, CEO, *National Association of Drug Court Professionals***  
Join fellow drug court professionals for an evening of camaraderie, refreshments, and dessert.

## Wednesday, June 22

7:00–8:00 am	<b>Networking and Continental Breakfast</b>	
8:00–8:25 am	<b>Day 2 Opening Remarks</b>	<b>Minnesota East</b>
	Hon. Robert Rancourt, Tenth District Judge, <i>Minnesota Drug Court Initiative Advisory Committee, National Association of Drug Court Professionals Board Member</i>	
	West Huddleston, CEO, <i>National Association of Drug Court Professionals</i>	
8:30–9:45 am	<b>Breakout Session</b>	
	1. <a href="#"><u>Over the Hills and Far, Far Away: DSM V, The Brave New World</u></a>	<b>Governors Rooms III &amp; IV</b>
	Rick Moldenhauer, MS, LADC, ICADC, LPCC, Treatment Services Consultant, <i>Minnesota Department of Human Services</i>	
	2. <a href="#"><u>Stress, Trauma, and Post-Traumatic Disorders</u></a>	<b>Minnesota West</b>
	Carl Dawson, MS, MAC, LPC, <i>Forest Institute for Professional Psychology</i>	
	3. <a href="#"><u>Bridges Out of Poverty</u></a>	<b>Governors Rooms I &amp; V</b>
	Jodi Pfarr, <i>aha! Process, Inc.</i>	
	4. <b>Use of Volunteers in Drug Court</b>	<b>Capitol Ballroom</b>
	Hon. John Holahan, Drug & DWI Court Judge, <i>Fourth Judicial District</i>	
	Ralph Campbell, Volunteer/Study & Action Program, <i>Fourth Judicial District, Hennepin County Drug &amp; DWI Courts</i>	
	Dick Caswell, Volunteer/Study & Action Program, <i>Fourth Judicial District, Hennepin County Drug &amp; DWI Courts</i>	
9:45–10:00 am	<b>Break</b>	
10:00–11:25 am	<b>Breakout Session</b>	
	1. <b>Trauma-Informed Treatment Services for Women</b>	<b>Governors Rooms III &amp; IV</b>
	Roxanne Sanderson, MSW, LICSW, <i>Ramsey County Correctional Facility</i>	
	2. <a href="#"><u>Motivational Interviewing</u></a>	<b>Minnesota West</b>
	Sue EckMaahs, President, <i>EckMaahs &amp; Associates</i>	
	3. <b>Engaging Veterans in Court</b>	<b>Governors Rooms I &amp; V</b>
	Brian Clubb, Veterans Treatment Court Project Director, <i>NADCP</i>	
	Hon. Robert Russell, <i>The Buffalo Veterans Treatment Court, Buffalo, NY</i>	
	4. <b>Innovative Practices in Drug Courts (Panel Presentation)</b>	<b>Capitol Ballroom</b>
	<a href="#"><u>Ramsey County ASAC</u></a>	
	<a href="#"><u>Dakota County FDTC</u></a>	
	BNW Drug Court	
	Sixth Judicial District	
11:25–11:30 am	<b>Mini Break—Move from Breakout to Plenary</b>	

## Wednesday, June 22, cont.

11:30 am–12:00 pm	<b>Plenary: Leadership and Effective Communication on Drug Court Teams</b> <b>Minnesota East</b> Hon. Robert Russell, <i>The Buffalo Veterans Treatment Court, Buffalo, NY</i>
12:00–1:00 pm	<b>Lunch—Seating by Role</b> <b>Minnesota East</b>
1:00–2:00 pm	<b>Jurisdictional Breakout: Leadership and Effective Communication on Drug Court Teams</b> <b>All Breakout Rooms</b>
2:00–2:15 pm	<b>Break</b>
2:15–3:30 pm	<b>Breakout Session</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <a href="#"><u>Not What the Doctor Ordered?: Trends in Prescription Drugs and OTC Med Abuse</u></a> <b>Governors Rooms III &amp; IV</b>  Rick Moldenhauer, MS, LADC, ICADC, LPCC, Treatment Services Consultant, <i>Minnesota Department of Human Services</i></li> <li>2. <b>Court Responses for the Mentally Ill</b> <b>Minnesota West</b>  Hon. H. Richard Hopper (ret.), <i>Fourth Judicial District, Hennepin County Mental Health and Veterans Treatment Court</i></li> <li>3. <a href="#"><u>The Adolescent as a Work-in-Progress: Brain Development, Impact of Early Trauma, and Implications for Treatment</u></a> <b>Governors Rooms I &amp; V</b>  Deena McMahon, MSW, LICSW, <i>McMahon Counseling &amp; Consultation Services</i></li> <li>4. <a href="#"><u>Administrative DWI Driver's License Sanctions</u></a> <b>Capitol Ballroom</b>  Jody Oscarson, <i>Office of Traffic Safety, Minnesota Department of Public Safety</i></li> </ol>
3:30–3:45 pm	<b>Break</b>
3:45–5:00 pm	<b>Plenary: <a href="#"><u>Current Trends in Substance Abuse</u></a></b> <b>Minnesota East</b> Carol Falkowski, Drug Abuse Strategy Officer, <i>Minnesota Department of Human Services, Division of Drug &amp; Alcohol Abuse</i>